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VIEWs of the WEEK

ar Disturbs Europe
Paris, France—The civil war in Spain has reached proportions where a chain of circumstances might well endanger the peace of Europe. While France has appealed to Great Britain and Italy for an agreement of neutrality toward the Spanish belligerents, a considerable section of French public opinion favors the shipment of arms and munitions to the Socialist Spanish government for use against the religious Fascists who are believed to have the sympathy, perhaps the help of Italy.

Olympic Records Smashed
Berlin, Germany—In the world's greatest stadium, before Chancellor Hitler, 110,000 spectators witnessed the opening of the largest Olympiad history, with 5000 athletes from over the world in attendance, winning the shot-put, Hans Nollke gave the Reich the first men's track and field champion in Olympic records. In the 100 meters semi-finals, Jesse Owens, American Negro, set a new mark of 10:2. Cornelius Johnson, another American Negro, broke all high-jump records.

Miss I. Railroads Prosper
Washington, D. C.—During the first six months of the year, the Miss I railroads of the country increased their net operating revenue more than 22%. On June 1st fares were reduced to 2 cents per mile, and during the month of June, the full month at the lowered rates, the net operating revenues increased 47.5%, more than double the ratio of the other five months of the half-year.

Unable Teacher Criticised
Pittston, Pa.—Charging that 60-year-old Anthony Munley, master of a nearby village school, spared no rod to the neglect of his classes, a group of parents protested. They cited a more generous application of corporal punishment. "He just taught 'em right," exploded protesting parent. "My woman had to go to the school to trim my son, and then Professor Munley wouldn't let her tick him with a strap she had." The school ended the matter by pointing out that the code prohibited whipping.

England Changes Plans
London—King Edward VIII, instead of spending his vacation in a Riviera villa of the American press, Maxine Elliott, leaves next week on a luxurious chartered boat for a leisurely cruise in the Baltic, his own royal yacht being too large to enter the smaller ports. It is believed that the Welsh rebellion caused his adherence to counsel against his Mediterranean vacation.

Bonus Bonds
Washington, D. C.—The Treasury Department announces that 2,500 veterans, 60% of all bonus recipients had cashed bonds worth \$7,400,000. The total amount issued to July 25th was \$1,726,480,000 more than 200,000 of the 3,518 veterans eligible for a bonus but neglected to apply for one.

France Losing Tourists
Paris, France—In seven years, France's annual tourist business has dwindled from 2,000,000 visitors to 1,000,000, their spendings from \$100,000,000 to \$60,000,000, according to a record given the Chamber of Deputies by Gaston Téte, the tourist Under-Secretary. He cited high hotel rates, special exhibition gasoline prices and uncomfortable traffic, but failed to mention the town displaying signs: "We want tourists, not

DIVERS NOW SEEK AUBURN WOMAN WHO DISAPPEARED AT GILEAD LAST WEEK

The search for Mrs. John W. Staples of Auburn, who disappeared from a camp at Gilead village with her Pomeranian dog on Tuesday of last week, has now continued nine days. She left her husband at the camp and was expected back soon. The alarm was given when a short search was unavailing when she failed to return after 40 minutes absence.

It was announced early this morning that the dog had been discovered alive about a mile from Gilead on the Gorham road. Mr. Staples identified the dog and search has been conducted in that vicinity today but further clues have not been found.

As we go to press preparations are being made for a diver to go down near the Androscoggin bridge at Gilead where a dog was discovered alive about a mile from Gilead on the Gorham road. Mr. Staples identified the dog and search has been conducted in that vicinity today but further clues have not been found.

BAND ORGANIZATION FORMED TUESDAY EVE

At a meeting held at the Legion Room Tuesday evening an organization was formed and arrangements made so that a local band seems to be assured. Instruments and music have been ordered and the first rehearsal will be held soon.

Mr. Cohen of Rumford was present and said that the Rumford Band will give a concert here for the benefit of the new local enterprise.

Officers chosen are:

President—Erma T. Young

Vice-President—Lester Tebbetts

Sec.-Treas.—Ralph Young

SOIL CONSERVATION TO BE DISCUSSED AT BETHEL FARM

As an added feature of the farm tour in Bethel on Friday, Aug. 7, Edmund Smith, Chairman of the County Soil Conservation Committee will tell what he has done to comply with the program. Oscar L. Wyman, Assistant Crops Specialist of the Extension Service will discuss the approved practices and point out those that are most logical for farms in the area to follow.

The tour will start at G. K. Hastings & Sons' farm at 9:30 daylight saving time. Other farms to be visited are Guy Bartlett's, William C. Chapman, 2d's and Edmund Smith's. At noon the men will eat a picnic lunch at Guy Bartlett's, and Mrs. Bartlett has promised iced tea for every one. She has asked that those who attend bring a cup.

MRS. STEPHEN E. BYRD

Mrs. Sarah Eunice Mason Byrd, wife of Stephen E. Byrd of Berlin, N. H., died suddenly at the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin Monday night.

Mrs. Byrd was born in Bethel March 6, 1880, the daughter of William and Hepzibah Mason. She was educated in the schools of Bethel and was a graduate of Bridgton Academy. For the past 27 years she has been a resident of Berlin.

Mrs. Byrd was a Past Worthy Matron of Starr King Chapter, O. E. S., president of the Past Matrons and Patrona club, a member of the Malda Rebekah Lodge, Cascade Temple Pythian Sisters, Woman's Club of Berlin, Francis Green Post W. R. C., and county president of the W. C. T. U. She was a member of St. Barnabas Episcopal Church. Surviving are her husband, Stephen E. Byrd, a daughter, Harriet, of Berlin, and one brother, Herman Meeks, of Bethel.

Stanley Hamlin is home from Stamford, Conn., for a week's visit.



GOVERNOR LOUIS J. BRANN
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FIELD DAY, AUGUST 15

With several added attractions promised for the Field Day of the Mount Abram Fish and Game Association at Bryant Pond on Saturday, August 15, it is expected that a very large attendance will be on hand. The principal attraction will be Governor Brann who will speak at the athletic field shortly after two o'clock. A series of prizes will also draw many and is probably responsible for a large advance sale of tickets.

The program also includes: ball games at 10 a. m. and 3 p. m.; boat races, 11 a. m.; dinner served by the churches; and drawing of the prizes at 6 p. m. The speakers will be William Hastings, vice-president of the Association, who will speak on the Objects of the Association at 1:45; 2 o'clock, George Kenyon, president; 2:15 Paul C. Thurston, introducing the Governor; 2:15 Governor Louis J. Brann.

Bingo and coconut games will also be enjoyed. The prizes are: 1st, \$185 motor boat; 2d, \$55 Elco outboard motor; 3d, Winchester rifle.

The Governor and party will have dinner at the Bethel Inn, and he will be greeted here by local citizens and the West Paris band.

The Association membership is made up of citizens of West Paris, Greenwood, Woodstock, and Bethel, and includes between two and three hundred.

WEBER-HAMBLIN

Lincoln D. Webber, M. D., of the 159th C. C. C. Company, Wild River and Miss Ellen Hamblin, R. N., of Franklin, Mass., were married by Judge George D. Daniels at Gilead on Monday, July 27th. The young couple left for a secret destination to spend their honeymoon.

Mrs. Harold Chamberlin visited her mother, Mrs. Lillian Foster, at Winthrop, Wednesday and Thursday.

REYNOLDS-HEINO

A double wedding of interest to friends, relatives and neighbors was solemnized at the Congregational Church, Harrison, Saturday evening, Aug. 1 at eight o'clock by Rev. Andrew Young, when Miss Lima Helno became the bride of Ramsey Reynolds of Sunday River, Newry and Miss Elma Anderson became the bride of Willie Helno.

Mr. Reynolds is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Reynolds of Newry and a graduate of the town schools. He is now employed in Harrison in the woods.

Mr. Helno is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Helno of Sunday River, Harrison and for a few years lived on Sunday River.

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Bathing-Boating-Flying

JOHN E. WEST, Pilot

Amphibian Plane

LOCAL PEOPLE HEAR BETHEL BROADCAST IN NOVA SCOTIA

A letter from Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Jodrey, who are visiting relatives at Brooklyn, N. S., states that they enjoyed listening to the memorial radio service which was held by the First Radio Parish Church last Sunday morning in memory of Dr. William Rogers Chapman at the Chapman residence in this village. Besides the sermon by Rev. Howard Hough, they were much interested in the other features which included a pleasing account of the town's history and location, a fine tribute to Dr. Chapman, scripture reading by Rev. Herbert Wallace of the Bethel Congregational Church, and singing by the choir.

SINGLE MEN WALLOW MARRIED OPPONENTS 10-3

by R. E. D.

Wednesday night saw the married men and single men hooking up again in a return engagement. The single men with all but one B. A. A. regular in their lineup carried too much batting power and bidding finesse for their older opponents.

Gill had plenty on the ball but his support was sadly lacking at times. Quimby, slightly wild, was able to bear down in the plumes and was aided by the nice work of Scribner in center field.

Swan led the married men at bat with two hits, one a double, while Stanley, Hood and Robertson led the youths. Eddie regained his eye with a vengeance, lacing out two singles and a two bagger. Hood's triple was the longest hit of the game.

MARRIED MEN 10-3

Young, ss	4	0	0	0	5	0
Gill, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Swan, c	4	1	2	11	0	0
Doyen, 2b	2	1	1	3	0	1
Croteau, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	1
Wilson, 1b	1	1	1	6	0	2
Berry, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Merrill, cf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Hutchinson, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0

28	3	5	21	9	5	
Stanley, 2b	5	2	3	1	5	1
Scribner, cf	4	0	4	0	0	0
Hood, lf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Quimby, p	4	1	1	1	0	0
Daniels, 3b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Young, ss	4	1	0	3	2	1
Robertson, 1b	4	2	3	7	1	0
D. Quimby, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Littlehale, c	4	0	0	6	1	0

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Two hits: Swan, Wilson, Daniels, Robertson. Three base hits: Hood, Daniels, play; Stanley, Young to Robertson. Hit by Quimby (Missell). First on ball by Quimby (Missell). Strike out by Quimby (Missell). Passed ball: Swan 2. Umpires: Morgan and Lurvey. Time: 1:30.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

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Labor Leaders on Trial

Washington — Twelve unions allied with John L. Lewis and the United Mine Workers of America in the organization of the new Committee for Industrial Organization are on "trial" before the executive council of the American Federation of Labor for "insubordination" in conducting union activities outside of the Federation's control.

Playing at War

Louisville, Ky. — On the 33,000 acres of the Ft. Knox Reservation and 47,000 more acres rented for the occasion at \$1.00 per acre, 21,000 fighting men of the Second Army Corps, consisting of Federal troops and National Guardsmen from Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, Virginia and West Virginia are "attacking" Nashville and Pittsburgh, rival "capitals" in maneuvers this week. Farmers are to be reimbursed by the Government for any damage done by the clashing armies.

The President at Home

Hyde Park, N. Y.—Returning here from his cruise in Maine and Canadian waters, President Roosevelt has settled down to a week of political conferences, during which he is expected to meet every Democratic leader of major importance in the coming campaign.

The Velocity Dollar

Alberta, Canada—Balked by a depleted treasury in his "social credit" plan, Premier Aberhart launched this week his "velocity dollar" to lend impetus to business. The

dollars look like real Canadian dollars, but they are mere script until 104 one-cent stamps (one a month for 2 years) have been pasted on the back. They then will be worth \$1.04, but in the meantime merchants are asked to accept them at their face value.

Condition of the Treasury

(For Last Fiscal Week)

Receipts,	\$58,482,474
Expenditures,	102,949,503
Balance,	2,251,175,748
Deficit, Fiscal Year,	119,726,716
Public Debt,	33,458,202,082

Catholic Converts Scored

New York City—Although the Official Catholic Directory takes pride in announcing the admission of 62,454 converts to the Church last year, Mary E. McLoughlin, writing in the Jesuit weekly "America," under the title of "Those Terrible Catholic Converts," scores the newcomers from other religions as "so intoxicated with the certitude and boldness of the Church, her ceremony, her saintly members dead and living and must needs be to and doing, writing or preaching or soap-boxing, bent on shaming us or at least arousing us from lethargy."

Fumbling the Ball

Detroit, Mich.—Scenting the much speechmaking, 17 members of the Detroit Tiger's baseball squad failed to accept an invitation to guests of honor at a banquet tendered 400 automobile dealers by the Chevrolet Motor Company. Some members however, responded, and in addition to a good dinner and souvenir pen-and-pencil set, each received an \$800 de luxe sedan to help them out of trouble.

Costly Senatorial Ambition

Laredo, Texas—It was the action of Senator Robert R. Reynolds of North Carolina, to be the first United States Senator to drive his car over the new international American highway into Mexico. Near Taxco, in the State of Hidalgo, bandits held up 12 automobile drivers and relieved the Senator of \$400. "What I say in the Congressional Record about this!" was the Senator's parting shot.

An attractive young movie actress was driving her new car when something went wrong with the engine. The traffic light changed from green to red and back to green and still she could not get the car to budge. The traffic came up.

"What's the matter, miss?" I inquired. "Ain't we got colors you like?"—Boston Transcript.

Communism reduced to its simplest form means autocratic power for a few and slavery for the millions.—Gertrude Atherton.

LOCKE MILL

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Scoville Sunday morning at the new days in town. Miss Myra Catherine will return to Bethel after a month's vacation in town.

Mrs. Ella Bryant, Mrs. Coolidge, Myrtle and Carl Scholl were in Bethel on Sunday calling on friends.

Miss Mary Davis has come after spending a few days with Mrs. Edwin Morrill.

Jean and Louise Tirrell have been at Gorham, N. H., for two weeks, have come home.

GENERAL

THE NEWS-WEEK IN PICTURES

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ONE WAY OF ENJOYING FROG LEGS

An Oregon photographer surprised this white-striped garter snake just as it was beginning the task of swallowing a hapless frog whole, a process in which the snake unhinges its jaw bone.



FASHION'S DECREE FOR BERLIN OLYMPICS

These are the official uniforms for street and sports wear by contestants participating in the 1936 Olympics which opened at Berlin, Germany, last week. More than 300 American athletes are among contestants.



HE SAVED HIS KING

Anthony Gordon Dick, London usher, who, as special constable, knocked pistol from hand of man threatening King Edward VIII.



UNEMPLOYED AT HOME IN STATE CAPITOL

When a tax deadlock between Republicans and Democrats tied up Pennsylvania's relief funds, 2,000 unemployed picketed the \$13,000,000 State Capitol, parked their children in the corridors and hooted the legislators with cries of "Stop stalling; give us food!"



SHE IS 115 YEARS OLD

Mariano Lechuga, born in Mexico in 1821, lives with a nephew and his 16 children at San Bernardino, Calif.



ENDBATTLED ROYALIST AT BAY IN PARIS

Accused by reports that France's Socialist government was prepared to furnish arms and war planes to assist the rebels in Spain's civil war, renewed rioting broke out in Paris, with Royalists and Nationalists attacking the Reds in street encounters.



CAPTIVE-BORN RHINOCEROSES LOSE THEIR FURY

African big-game hunters classify the rhinoceros as one of the most dangerous of wild beasts when aroused. These two, full-grown and born at the Detroit Zoo, tamely receive tid-bits from young visitors who approach them without fear.



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THREE

LOCKE MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Scholl arrived Sunday morning to spend a few days in town. Miss Myrtle and Miss Catherine will return with them after a month visit with friends in town.

Mrs. Ella Bryant, Mrs. Hannah Coolidge, Myrtle and Catherine Scholl were in Bethel Tuesday morning calling on friends.

Miss Mary Davis has returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. Edwin Morrill.

Jean and Louise Tirrell, who have been at Gorham, N. H., for the last two weeks, have returned home.

At the 4-H Field Day the "Best We Can Do" Club came in third in the assembly presentation.

Edith Kennison of West Paris has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. H. E. Fliske.

Several from here have been inebriating the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coolidge and two children, Alton and Stanley of Bethel called on Mr. and Mrs. Le-

and Coolidge, Sunday evening.

Miss Hazel Hanscom has finished work at Herman Cummings' and is staying with Mrs. Robert Cole.

Mrs. Lester Tibbets and daughters Claire and Phylis who have been camping at Old Orchard for several weeks have returned home.

A large number from here attended the auction at the William A. Holt estate.

Gladys Salls was home over the week end from her work at a girl's camp in Harrison.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Mabel Chase has returned home from the Berlin hospital.

Mrs. Alden Wilson and son and Miss Lila Conner spent Saturday with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sheehy and son and Alphonse Croteau of Lewiston called on Paul Croteau, Monday night.

Curtis Winslow of Lovell was a caller in town recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bartlett and children called at B. L. Harrington's, Sunday.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott and family have returned to their home in New Jersey after spending several weeks at D. R. Cole's camp.

Mrs. Gladys Bailey and son William recently called on Mrs. Ella Bradford at North Paris and also called on Mrs. Bailey's sister, Mrs. W. H. Charlesworth and family of Worcester, who were visiting Mrs. Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mills are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Zenas Mills at Albany.

Mrs. Carrie Swan of Norway has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. D. R. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lapham and family of Albany visited with Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Martin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Farr, Leland and Arnold Farr of West Poland visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin, Wynona and Martin Farr returned home with them.

Mrs. Ralph Abbott and family of Mechanic Falls and Mrs. Harry Knight and daughter of Norway have been stopping at the Abbott cottage.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

Several people attended the Radio Parish service at Bethel and enjoyed it greatly.

Ronald Stevens and family, Mr. Eames, and Mr. and Mrs. Carey Stevens were in Weld Sunday.

Lester Balentine and Richard Stevens are working for Leslie Davis in Albany.

Walter Balentine and Carey Stevens are working on the Grover Hill Road.

Willis Ward has finished haying and gone to work for Mr. Davis.

Richard Stevens spent the weekend with friends in Albany.

Bruce Bailey is staying at Fannie Carter's and helping hay.

Mrs. Smith reports having canned 42 quarts of green peas this season

The Northeastern Poultry Producers Council meets at the University of Maine, Orono, August 26-27, for its sixth annual summer conference. Representatives of 12 states, from Virginia to Maine, will attend.

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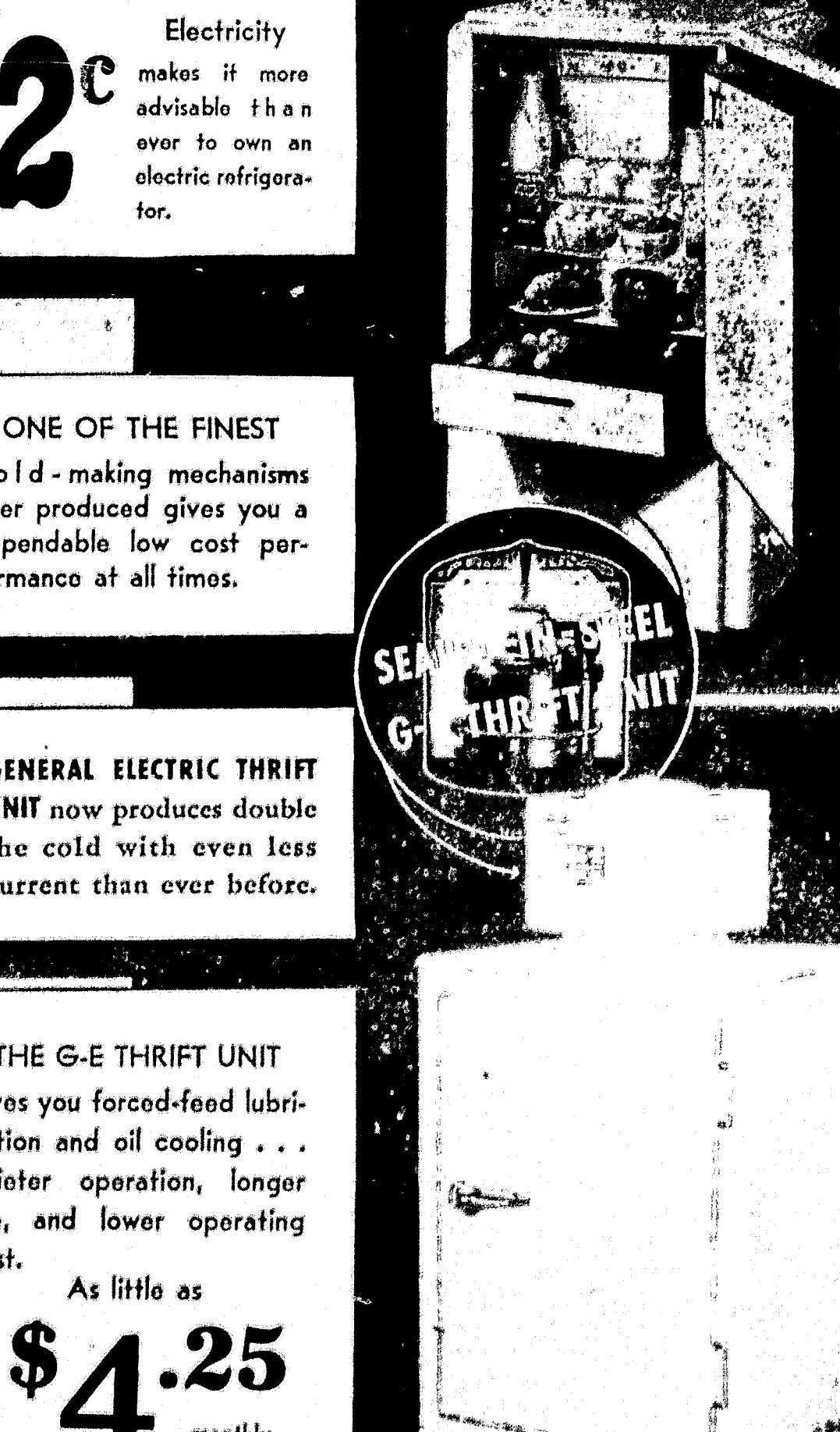
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BETHEL NEEDS
More and Better Sidewalks—winter
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NO CHANCE?

Horatio Alger made a name for
himself by writing books about
something that is peculiarly Ameri-
can—the fact that every man in this
country has a chance to win fame
and fortune no matter what his
start in life. In recent years, how-
ever, a lot of malcontents and
demagogues have been taking advan-
tage of the depression to insist that
all that is changed.

The facts are that the depression
slowed up the speed with which
everybody was getting ahead. But
nothing that happened in West
Virginia the other day shows that
the country of which Horatio Alger
wrote still exists.

Twenty-two years ago, a lad of
15 went to work at the bottom of
the ladder in the Carnegie Steel
Company plant at Sharon, Pa. He
served in the World War as an
aide, and afterward for a time
travelled around as a "barnstorm-
ing" stunt player.

Later, this same lad, then a young
man, worked as a mechanic, a rivet-
er, and a salesman. In 1923, he
joined the Weirton Steel Company
as a salesman. In January, 1929, he
became assistant sales manager; in
May, 1931, he was appointed assis-
tant to the President, and in July
1934, he was elected a vice presi-
dent.

The other day, the Weirton Steel
Company elected that same man as
its President—T. E. Millip. He
probably is, at 37, the youngest
high executive in the steel industry.

He starts from scratch, and his
rise to the presidency of one of the
biggest steel companies in the land
is just one of thousands of similar
rises. But the malcontents and
demagogues can't afford to admit it
for such an admission would make
their arguments look as silly as
they are.

CURTAINS!!

Jim Jones lives out in the coun-
try, twenty miles from his office
and drives to work daily. The drive
takes place largely on a modern
highway, with last few miles con-
tinued to busy streets.

The drive can be made safely in
about 25 minutes. But Jim would
feel ashamed of his record if he
ever took that long. So, by "step-
ping on her" hard, he manages to
make it in 25 minutes, and some-
times less. The other day, in fact
he did it in 23 minutes—a saving of
12 minutes over the time taken by
more conservative pilots.

That saving of time is a great
boon to Jim. It permits him to
spend ten or fifteen minutes talking
about golf to the boys at the cigar
stand, or reading the funny papers.
And the day he made his record he
spent the saved time, plus quite a
few minutes more, boasting about
it.

Of course, Jim has to weave in
and out of traffic occasionally
cursing the slow-pokes who move
along at a sedate 45. And some-
times he has to steal a right of
way. Now and then he misses a
crash by an inch, and after the first
flash of nervousness passes, he
chuckles to himself about what a
good driver he is. Once he did have

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a minor accident, but the insurance
company paid for that.

There are a good many thousand
Jim Joneses driving cars in this
country. They go on for years with
nothing happening to them—and the
inevitable occurs.

Curtains!!

Washington
Snapshots
by JAMES PRESTON

A insidious but very tangible fear
is working its way into a lot of
Washington minds. It is the belief
that World War veterans shortly
will demand a bigger share out of
the federal grab-bag—and if they
do, they will stand a good chance of
getting it unless all federal expen-
ditures are drastically cut.

The point is that the federal gov-
ernment pays pensions to all vets
of every war but the last one. Only
disabled World War veterans get
pensions. Now, with billions being
dumped around and the bonus paid
without any permanently harmful
effects yet evident, the World War
veterans are beginning to discuss
pensions.

The fears were made clear by
two recent speeches—one by Gen.
Frank T. Hines, Veterans Adminis-
trator, and the other by James E.
Van Zandt, National Commander of
the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Both
warned World War veterans to for-
get pensions.

What could happen is shocking.
There were only 2,213,365 Civil War
veterans, yet in 1925—70 years after
the Civil War—veterans of that
conflict and their dependents, drew
\$63,529,532.72, or an average of
\$1,060.37 per year per pensioner.

On the other hand, there were
4,764,971 World War veterans. Last
year, with pensions going only to
disabled, they drew \$219,551,128.63.
If they got the same average \$1,
\$1,060.37 pension, the total federal
outlay on World War vets would be
\$2,051,000,000, which is big money
even these days.

It's awfully hard, Washington
heads admit, to convince a veteran,
whose neighbor is getting monthly
checks for not raising pigs, that he
shouldn't have more of the "easy"
money.

The historically minded pulled a
surprise the other day on Phillip
Murray, vice president of United
Mine Workers who are trying to
get steel employees into their per-
sonal union. Murray and his boss, John L.
Lewis, have shouted to high heaven
in criticism of those who said em-
ployees should be allowed to decide
without coercion from any source
whether they wanted to join or stay
out of unions. Lewis and Murray
want the unions left free to cajole
and coerce.

The researchers found that in
1921, when Murray was testifying
before a Senate committee, he said
a regulate for industrial peace in
West Virginia was "the protection
of unorganized workers against in-
timidation or coercion by members
of the United Mine Workers OR

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The Public Debt
Is the People's Burden

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN
National Chairman
Sentinels of the Republic

America, according to latest sta-
tistics, is now staggering under a
collection of governmental debts—
federal, state and local—which reach
an all-time high of over Fifty-thre-
Billion Dollars.

This total is called the Public
Debt. But a clearer name might be
the People's Debt, or better still, the
People's Burden. For whether they
realize it or not, it's the people who
must pay—not only the workers and
earners of the present generation,
but those of generations to come.

And it's a heavy bill that the poli-
ticians are running up for you and
your descendants. It means that no
matter how carefully you've con-
ducted your affairs, no matter how
you and your family have sacrificed
to make ends meet, you're in debt
to the amount of \$415. That, say the
statisticians, is the per capita share.

It means, further, that if you head
a family of say five members, your
family's share of the debt runs over
\$2,000. If the family is larger, so is
its ultimate burden.

Just who plunged us all so deeply
into the red?

The statisticians have analyzed
that, too. They point out that
Thirty-four Billion Dollars of the
debt—approximately \$264 per capita
—was piled up by the Federal Gov-
ernment; while more than Nineteen
Billions — approximately \$151 per
capita—was loaded on the people by
state and local governments; or, to
be more accurate, by the office-
holders who hold the reins of gov-
ernment.

It must be pleasant for office-
holding politicians to feel that they've
been so generous. It's always
pleasant to be generous with other
people's money. That's a bright side
of the picture.

But there's a dark side, too! It's
reserved for the public—for the
workers and housewives of America
—who now pay and will continue to
pay for the politicians' generosity,
not only in higher taxes, but in in-
creased costs for virtually everything
they buy.

UNION SCHOOL REUNION
TO BE HELD AUGUST 30TH

A meeting of the officers of the
South Woodstock Union School As-
sociation was held at the home of
the president, Gerald Davis, Mon-
day evening, Aug. 3. It was voted
to hold the second reunion on Sun-
day, Aug. 30, at Littlefield's Beach,
Locke Mills. This reunion includes
all former teachers, parents, and
pupils of Union School and the four
school districts that now form
Union School. These include Per-
kins Valley, Curtis Hill, Dunham
and Nute districts. Any parent tea-
cher or pupil who attended these
schools are cordially invited to be
present. An entertainment will be
held at the school house in the
evening.

Following are the committees—
Sports—Harlan Andrews, Gerald
Benson, Walter Littlehale. Base
Ball—Arthur Thurlow, Stanley An-
drews, Kenneth Benson. Refresh-
ments—Myrtle Thurlow, Zella Silver-
ton and Helen Poland. Program—
Olive Davis, Lenwood Andrews.

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W. I. Bull preached at Al-

ton J. Verrill, last Sunday.

Thomas Mueller, nephew of

Verrill, with his sister, Mrs.

Steckline and her three chil-

lren, Kenneth, Ruth and Jun-

ior, all from Washington, D. C., are spending their

vacation with the Rev. and Mrs. A.

mill

SOUTH ALBANY

and Mrs. Cecil Kimball and

Bartlett from Locke Mills

week end guests of Mr. and

Roy Wardwell.

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ton J. Verrill, last Sunday.

and Mrs. Hugh Stearns and

daughters, Mrs. Lilla Stearns

and Allen were in Free-

mont on the week end at their place

at the corner.

Kimball spent the week end

with his sister, Mrs. Robinson.

Howard Allen is gaining

strength every day.

Stearns worked at H. B.

one day last week.

Mountain Grange held its

meeting Saturday evening

with good attendance.

and Mrs. Willis McKeen at

Roy Wardwell's, Sunday

morning.

Stearns is teaching in the

School at East Stoneham

and the farmers in this sec-

ondary have finished haying, others

not begun.

and Mrs. Harry Spring and

Andrews attended the auc-

tion at the Will Holt place, Satur-

day.

Little assisted Mrs. Coll

with her work on Saturday.

Bound

FRANKLIN GRANGE

Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond,
ladies' night Saturday, women mem-
bers furnished the equipment and
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were served.

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WEST BETHEL

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Currier of Rumford Hall was in Rumford last day. Mrs. Estella Goodridge's one day last week. Mrs. Gerald Pheney from all the town was the guest of Mrs. Goodridge, Sunday. Paul Head is some better at home. Harry Head attended the funeral of Mr. Watson last Friday at Gor-

Ella Hutchinson is at work. Mrs. Paul Head. Guy Morrill, who has been for Mrs. Clyde Hall, has died. Mrs. C. M. Bennett were inland, Monday. Member from here attended the which was held at the Will place.

and Mrs. Lawrence Pennell Westbrook were week end of Mrs. Estella Goodridge. and Mrs. Lewis Jones and Mrs. Evelyn from Salem, Mass., guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoy, Monday. Eph Perry had the misfortune to injure his shoulder quite badly working in the woods.

Supper which was held at Range Hall, Saturday night largely attended and a good realized.

Chester Wheeler from West was home over the week end. and Mrs. Clayton Ingraham sons from Sundown, N. H., the guests of Mrs. Helen Perr-Tuesday.

and Mrs. Archie Mower of Venetian were the week end guests of Gladys Bean.

Cora Brown spent the week at North Paris as the guest of and Mrs. George Blake. and Mrs. Ward Kennean and friends from Mexico were at callers on the Rev. and Alton J. Verrill, last Sunday. Thomas Mueller, nephew of Verrill, with his sister, Mrs. Steckline and her three children, Kenneth, Ruth and Junior, some friends, all from Wash. D. C., are spending their summer with the Rev. and Mrs. A. Verrill.

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BRYANT POND

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Crooker of Everett, Mass. and Ralph Bacon of Boston returned home Sunday after spending two weeks vacation at Ralph and Myrtle Bacon's new cottage on the shore of Lake Christopher.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crockett spent the week end at her home in New Gloucester.

Prof. and Mrs. Floyd Redman and three children are away for a week visiting their parents.

Mrs. James MacKillop and children Thelma and Howard are visiting in Nobleboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cushman are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Saturday.

Beatrice Hathaway is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raeburn Hathaway in Needham, Mass.

Mrs. Clarence Cole is at the C. M. G. Hospital where she submitted to two operations.

Evangelist services are being held this week in the church every evening at eight o'clock.

DROUGHT DICTATES CHANGE IN CONSERVATION PROGRAM

Two new provisions of the Agricultural Conservation Program as it applies to the Northeast region have been announced by the Maine conservation committee. Both are designed to make the program fit more closely conditions caused by dry weather.

The changes were recommended by Agricultural Conservation Committees of the nine states in the region and approved by Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace.

One change removes the provision for deductions in case a farm's 1936 acreage of general soil-depleting crops is larger than the farm's general soil-depleting base. The change means that farmers who have increased their acreage of soil-depleting crops may collect in full for any payments they earn for using soil-building practices.

The deductions would have wiped out or reduced such soil-building payments.

Officials said that many farmers in the northeast have found it necessary to increase their acreage of soil-depleting crops this year in order to counteract the effects of the drought. Such farmers now will be able to participate fully in other phases of the program.

The second change provides that farmers who planted nurse crops and were unable to seed soil-conserving crops at the usual time because of drought may seed the soil-conserving crops after the grain crops and still classify the acreage as soil-conserving. A farmer's land will be so classified only if his county committee determines that the grain crop was planted for nurse crop purposes, and that the weather conditions prevented him from seeding the soil-conserving crop at the usual time. In other cases such land will be classified as soil-depleting.

Albany—Waterford

Raymond Langway and Ernest Brown finished E. K. Shedd's haying Friday.

A coat of tar is being applied to the Songo and Greenwood roads in Albany.

A. B. Kimball is cutting the grass on the Stearns and Daniels place at Hunt's Corner.

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MILTON

Mrs. C. Baldwin from Coaticook, Que., has been visiting her son, Howard Thornton, Jr., the past two weeks.

Cora Millett has gone to work in the mill at Locke Mills.

Llewellyn Buck and Charles Poland have been cutting the hay on the Cullen Abbott farm.

Will Dyer has commenced picking his raspberries. Not a very large crop is expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Swan, Mrs. Mabel Farrington and Clara Jackson and mother, were in Kingfield on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Clifford of Rumford was at his grandmother's, Mrs. Addie Lapham's, Sunday.

Miss Mildred Soule of Gorham has been visiting Clara Jackson.

GILEAD

Charles Farnum of Rumford Point was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Harry Taylor and family have moved to Chatham.

John McBride, who has been ill at his home here, is improving.

Cecil Chase and William Hannon of Turner were recent visitors in town.

Ina Oleson is assisting in the home of Mrs. Edward Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Losier and John Duguay were in Berlin Sunday to attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John LeBreton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Estes and daughter Irene and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean and family of West Paris were guests at the home of Charles Chase, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holden were visitors in Berlin, N. H., Monday.

Miss Yvette Roy of Berlin, N. H., is spending a few days with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tracy and family of Bartlett, N. H., were the guests of friends in town Sunday.

Mr. Joseph Lapointe and family were in Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

Mrs. Myrtle Brown has been confined to her home by illness.

Dr. W. B. Twaddle of Bethel was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Clara Knights was a week end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Herman Cole. She also called at her son's, James Knights', and family.

Elwell Hard attended Pomona Grange at West Sumner, Tuesday.

Alimony should not be made the means of cruel and inhuman punishment.—Justice Salvatore A. Cattillo.

With the grotesque system of justice which prevails, getting loose is twice as easy as staying in jail.—Henry L. Mencken.

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NOTICE — For Trades in Good Meat call at Sanborn Farm, next to Steam Mill. Any amount sold at reasonable prices. Fridays and Saturdays. FRANK SPRAGUE, Dealer in Livestock, Bethel. 32pt

MISCELLANEOUS

CASH PAID for old letters bearing stamps and postmarks before 1900. Please write giving full description. MYRON MCINTIRE, Locke Mills, Maine. 18p

LOST — July 9 between Legion Rooms and my home on Spring Street an open face watch attached to clasp. Reward. Mrs. F. I. French. 18p

LOST — Black Alligator Bag containing money, checks, automobile license, etc. Finder please return to Bethel Inn for reward. 18p

Firearms, Ammunition, and Trap-
pers' Supplies, bought, sold, and
exchanged by H. L. BEAN, Bethel,
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skins, Hides and Pelts. 21f

BETHEL AND VICINITY

—Continued from page one—

Miss Gladys Richards of Arlington, Mass., is the guest of Miss Julie Brown this week.

The W. P. A. road work on Grover Hill will be completed in two weeks. The crew will then be employed on the Northwest Bethel road for a month or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Grindell of Seal Harbor, Eldridge Berry and Sidney Dyke of Westmont, N. J., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry and family.

Mrs. Wallace Coolidge, Edgar and Barbara Coolidge, Miss Virginia Knight, Mrs. Frank Hunt and two children, Frank Jr and Norma, spent Sunday at Stanwood Park, Farmington.

The local parking situation has been much improved by yellow markings in the vicinity of the post office. Spaces will also be marked from Bryant's store to the Nalmy property.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Green of Medford, Mass., accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. E. B. Perry, and her son and daughter of Philadelphia, were visitors in town one day last week. Mr. Green is a native of Shallowburn and worked in the store of the late Edwin C. Rowe here before going to Norway and later to Massachusetts.

A 28x14 foot addition is under construction at the H. F. Thurston & Son mill. It is planned to install sawmill machines in this new space and perhaps another engine so that it can be operated as a separate unit. The larger area will make for increased convenience and efficiency and will take care of the concern's increasing business.

Tom Dubar, who is touring the state as a candidate for Governor on a platform underlying the Townsend plan, the Roosevelt act, and "Every Man a Home," spoke to a small audience at the head of Main Street, Wednesday morning. His red lead speaking apparatus on his car, so probably he reached a larger audience than appeared in public.

ALLISON BROWN

Allison Brown died at his home in Mason Tuesday morning after a long period of ill health, but was confined to his bed only about week.

Mr. Brown was born in Albany, April 2, 1858, the son of Walter and Elizabeth Mason Brown, the eldest of 11 children. His early life was spent in his native town, but after his marriage to Miss Anna Styles, April 2, 1882, they went to Canton where they made their home for seven years. They then moved to the farm where they have lived for the past 45 years. They were the parents of two children who died in very early life.

He was affiliated with Anasagunticook Lodge, No. 32, I. O. O. F., at Canton, having been a member for the past 54 years.

He is survived by his wife, three brothers, Milford and True Brown of Bethel, and Bion Brown of South Paris, besides several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held from the funeral home of S. S. Greenleaf Friday at 2 p. m.

500 ATTEND OXFORD COUNTY FIELD DAY

Five hundred club members, parents and friends attended the Oxford County 4-H Field Day at Thompson Lake on July 29. Forty-three clubs were represented of the 65 clubs in the county. Ten clubs had their pictures taken for having a 100% attendance. They were: Oak Tree, Norway Lake, Mrs. Frances Pratt; W. W. W. Club, North Waterford. Mr. William Walker; Ever Onward, North Paris, Mrs. Lila Ellingwood; Milton Hardworkers, Milton, Mrs. Rena Abbott; Co-Workers, East Summer, Mrs. Elden Garey; Eveready Club, Hallowell, Mrs. Una Stearns; 4-H Clover, South Hiram; Mrs. Frances Morrell; Pleasant Pond, West Summer, Mr. Patrick Myers; Hartford Hustlers, Hartford, Mrs. Helen Bragg; Snappy Eight, East Bethel, Mrs. Gladys Tyler.

Alvin Hersey of North Waterford, a former club member, was Master of Rumford, Wayne Rich of Auburn, of Events for the day. Harry Brown and Chandler Briggs, South Paris, had charge of the water sports. William Dallinger, Center Lovell; Nazafra Bedard, Norway; and Burton Newton, Bryant Pond, ran off the field events.

Harold Elliott of Rumford Point was secretary. Mr. Elliott recorded winners in each event and presented ribbons to the winners.

Mrs. Elden Garey of West Summer, supervised the 4-H refreshment booth, run by the leaders in the county.

Lake Christopher Garden Club of Bryant Pond, with Burton Newton, leader, received the first prize of a peck of peanuts for receiving the highest score on the events of the day. Jolly Workers of Bryant Pond with Mrs. Annie Crockett, leader, were awarded the watermelon for second place. Willing Workers of Hiram, under Paul Wadsworth's leadership, came third for the big bag of kisses.

The Hiram Willing Workers defeated the Lake Christopher Garden Club of Bryant Pond 12-3 in an exciting baseball game.

BORN
In Bryant Pond, to the wife of Claude Cushman, a daughter.

MARRIED
In Gilford, July 27, by George D. Daniels, Justice of the Peace, Lincoln D. Webber of Wild River and Max Ellen Hamblin of Franklin, Mass.

DIED
In Berlin, N. H., Aug. 3, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Stephen Byrd, native of Bethel, aged 58 years.

In Mason, Aug. 4, Allison Brown, aged 78 years.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
11:00 a. m. Morning worship
Sermon subject, "The Danger of the Conventional."

Visitors and summer guests are welcome at these services.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. P. J. Clifford, Minister
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 a. m. Morning worship
Sermon subject, "Not Independent."

While we are having our vacation there is no time off when we do not need God. Why not recognize this by a greater loyalty?

Attend Church Sunday. You and yours are invited.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
Services Sunday morning at 10:45.
"Spirit" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 9, 1936.

The Golden Text is: "Thou art my God; thy spirit is good; lead me into the land of uprightness." (Psalms 143:10).

Among the citations from the Bible is the following: "But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. But God hath revealed them unto us by his Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God. For what man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God." (1 Corinthians 2:9-11).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Christianity causes men to turn naturally from matter to Spirit, as the flower turns from darkness to light. Man then appropriates those things which 'eye hath not seen nor ear heard.'" (page 458:32-3).

Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH

Rev. Alton Verrill
10:30 a. m. Subject for morning service: "The Three Worlds."

7:30 p. m. Subject for evening service, "Our Father's House," an interesting study dealing with the wonders of creation.

All are most cordially invited to attend these services.

EIGHT FARM BUREAU GROUPS HOLD MEETING ON HOUSEHOLD CLEANERS

During the month of July eight Farm Bureau groups held meetings on the subject of Household Cleaners. At these meetings several cleaners commonly used in the household were made. Among these cleaners were silver polish, shoe polish, window cleaner, woodwork cleaner, brass polish, furniture polish, and furniture wax. Meetings on this subject have already been held in Andover, Brownfield, East Bethel, Hiram, Waterford and South Hiram.

Harold Chamberlin has been in Boston the past two days as the guest of H. P. Hood & Son. He was one of the winners in their June contest. The Maine party went from Portland in the streamlined Flying Yankee.

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LOCAL CONTESTS LEAD TO COUNTY CONTEST

At the close of the 4-H Club year, local contests are held in every town in which there is a club. If there are two or more clubs in a town, the clubs combine for the contest. The object of these local contests are: to compare results of members at the end of the season; to stimulate interest for another year; to place before the parents and citizens of the community the work done by their own boys and girls. Records and stories on all projects are due at local contest. Club members' exhibits, except Livestock and poultry, are scored. Each club member receives a ribbon on the merit of their exhibit. Following is a schedule of the Oxford Local Contests:

Wednesday, Aug. 12—Denmark Thursday, Aug. 27—Andover Tuesday, Sept. 1—Hartford Wednesday, Sept. 2—E. Sumner Thursday, Sept. 3—W. Sumner Friday, Sept. 4—No. Paris, Hanover (P. M.)

Tuesday, Sept. 8—So. Woodstock Wednesday, Sept. 9—Newry Thursday, Sept. 10—Upton Friday, Sept. 11—Norway, Norway Lake.

Saturday, Sept. 12—West Bethel, East Bethel Monday, Sept. 14—Albany Tuesday, Sept. 15—Roxbury Monday, Sept. 21—E. Stoneham, North Waterford Tuesday, Sept. 22—Lovell, Center Lovell.

Wednesday, Sept. 23—Fryeburg, E. Fryeburg Thursday, Sept. 24—Brownfield Friday, Sept. 25—Hiram, S. Hiram Saturday, Sept. 26—Milton Monday, Sept. 28—Dixfield Tuesday, Sept. 29—Rumford Wednesday, Sept. 30—Rumford, Rumford Point Thursday, Oct. 1—Rumford, Rumford Center Friday, Oct. 2—Rumford Saturday, Oct. 5—So. Paris, Paris Hill

Monday, Oct. 5—So. Waterford Tuesday, Oct. 6—Welchville Wednesday, Oct. 7—Buckfield, N. Buckfield

Thursday, Oct. 8—Canton, Canton Point Friday, Oct. 9—Bryant Pond, Locks Mills Saturday, Oct. 10—East Hebron

The county contest will be held at the Association Hall in South Paris on October 24. At each local contest several of the high ranking exhibits are selected, providing the score merit it, to be exhibited at County Contest.

The members of the Ladies Club will offer on Aug. 13, next Thursday afternoon, an especially fine exhibit of gifts and food. The candy table will have plenty of delicious home made confections, rich and tasty. A lovely patch work quilt, in green and white flying geese pattern, will be for sale. Plenty of home baked rolls and pastry will be present. Aprons for all occasions and at all prices will be seen. Children's toys and babies' clothing will have a prominent place.

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Statement by James A. N. Chairman of the Democratic National Committee:

"The first Roosevelt caravan will arrive Wednesday in Maine to campaign in that State. In the next few weeks, more caravans will appear in the towns and smaller cities throughout the country. It is estimated that before the campaign is over, the caravans will give more than 10,000 programs.

The purpose of the caravans is to tell the people the story of the Roosevelt Administration's accomplishments.

Each caravan consists of a singer automobile and a coach equipped with modern apparatus for speech and projection. Both the trailer and car will be painted white, red, white and blue decorative including pictures of Roosevelt, Garner, the inscription, "Opportunity, security and freedom," select Roosevelt and Garner's portraits on the trailer coach.

The personnel of each caravan will include an operator and speakers—the director, a and a young person. In instances these persons will be natives of the States in which the caravan is appearing.

The personnel for the caravan is: Robert Milliken, Portland; Miss Louise Alexander, attorney of Greensboro, N. C.; Miss Tina Thompson, a teacher of Waterville.

The caravan, which made its visit in the State at Kittery, will follow an itinerary through counties, ending at Fryeburg, Tuesday, August 25. The visit of Oxford County will be:

Thursday, Aug. 20:
12:30 p. m. Mexico
3:00 Sumner
4:30 Bryant pond
6:00 Bethel
7:30 Newry
9:00 Rumford
Friday, Aug. 21:
8:00 a. m. Canton
9:30 East Peru
11:00 Dixfield
Saturday, Aug. 22:
11:00 a. m. Buckfield
12:30 p. m. Hebron
4:00 Welchville
5:30 South Paris
7:30 Norway



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